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Ronald P. Schmidt

DOCKET NO. TA-00519

SERIAL NO.: 09/898,633

EXAMINER: Sing P. Chan

FILED: 07/02/2001

GROUP ART UNIT: 1734

TITLE: Adhesive-Infused 3-D Woven **Textile Preforms for Structural Joints**

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

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In response to the Office Action mailed April 24, 2003, please amend the claims as set forth below:

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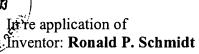
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TOTAL CLAIMS	23	MINUS	23	0	X \$18/9	
INDEPEN- DENT CLAIMS	6	MINUS	4	2	X \$84/42	\$168
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